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In re patent application of:

STEINBERG

Serial No. 10/661,781

Group Art Unit: 3673

Filed: September 15, 2003

Examiner: F. Lagman

For: **FLOATING MODULAR BREAKWATER**

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

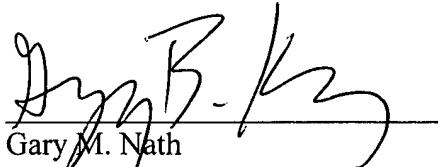
Submitted herewith for filing in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is the following:

- (1) Transmittal Letter; and
- (2) Response and Amendment.

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RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT

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This is a full and complete response to the Office Action having a mailing date of July 12, 2004. The three month shortened statutory period to respond to the Office Action was set to expire October 12, 2004, which makes this a timely filed response to the present Office Action.

In view of the following amendments and remarks, the Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner reconsider and withdraw the outstanding objections and rejections and allow this application.

AMENDMENT

Please amend the above captioned application as follows: